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SUBJECT: APU 20TH COUNCIL MEETING

1. SOME 40 DELEGATES FROM THE ROC, JAPAN, THE ROK, AND
INDONESIA PARTICIPATED IN THE SEPTEMBER 4-5 TWENTIETH COUNCIL
MEETING OF THE ASIAN PARLIAMENTARIANS' UNION. OPENING
ADDRESSES WERE GIVEN BY CHAIRMAN OF THE APU COUNCIL MEETING
LIU KUO-TSAI, PRESIDENT OF THE APU 11TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
KU CHENG-KANG, CHIEF OF THE JAPANESE DELEGATION UICHI NODA,
CHIEF OF THE KOREAN DELEGATION MIN BYONG KWON, AND VICE
SPEAKER OF THE INDONESIAN PARLIAMENT H. J. NARO.

2. THE COUNCIL ADOPTED 12 RESOLUTIONS, TWO OF WHICH WERE
DIRECTED AT THE US POSTURE IN ASIA, URGING 1) THE USG TO
UPHOLD THE SINO-AMERICAN MUTUAL DEFENSE TREATY AND 2) THE
CONTINUOUS STATIONING OF US FORCES IN KOREA TO MAINTAIN PEACE
AND SECURITY IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC. OTHER RESOLUTIONS
INCLUDED OPPOSING THE INJECTION OF POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS
INTO SPORTS WHICH WOULD HAMPER THE OLYMPICS SPIRIT,
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SUPPORTING THE EFFORTS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE ROK FOR CONSOLIDATING

PEACE ON THE KOREAN PENINSULA, URGING THE HONG KONG
GOVERNMENT TO STOP RETURNING REFUGEES TO MAINLAND CHINA AND
TO TAKE STEPS TO UPHOLD THE RIGHTS OF FREEDOM-SEEKERS,
AND CALLING ON APU MEMBER NATIONS TO PREVENT ANY WORSENING
SITUATION IN THE PACIFIC AND INDIAN OCEANS SO AS TO MAINTAIN
PEACE AND PROSPERITY IN THE APU REGION.

3. THE COUNCIL MEETING DECIDED THAT THE 12TH APU GENERAL
ASSEMBLY WILL BE CONVENED IN TOKYO IN EARLY DECEMBER, 1976,
AT WHICH TIME THE 12 RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL WILL
BE SUBMITTED TO THE ASSEMBLY FOR APPROVAL.
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